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HAPPY NEW YEAR! S NOVYM GODOM!

CENTER FILM SERIES - The Center will offer a Soviet film series beginning on January 19. Films will be shown on Wednesdays at 4:15 p.m. at the Pacific Film Archive, University Art Museum. Films scheduled are:

January 19 Fall of the Romanov Dynasty. Esther Shub, 1927.

January 26 Man with a Movie Camera. Dziga Vertov, 1924.

February 2 The Extraordinary Adventures of Mr. West in the Land of the Bolsheviks. Lev Kuleshov, 1924.

February 9 Forward Soviet! Dziga Vertov, 1924.

Film titles for February 16 and 23 will be announced in the next Newsletter.

SOVIET FILM SERIES - A film series, "The Best of Soviet Cinema Past and Present!" is currently underway at the U.C. Theatre, 2036 University Avenue (at Shattuck), Berkeley, on Thursday evenings and will continue until mid-February. Films to be shown:

January 13 Mother. V.I. Pudovkin, 1926. (7:10)

Ballad of a Soldier. Grigori Chukai, 1960. (5:25, 9:00)

January 20 The Twelve Chairs. L. Gaidai, 1971. (7:00)
The Overcoat. Aleksei Batalov, 1960. (5:25, 10:00)

January 27 First Swallow. Nana Mchelidze, 1976. (7:00)
My Name is Ivan. Andrei Tarkovsky, 1962. (5:05, 8:40)

February 3 Don Quixote. Grigori Kozinstev, 1957. (7:10)
Uncle Vanya. Andrei Mikhailkov-Konchalovsky, 1972. (5:00, 9:15)

February 10 Crime and Punishment. Lev Kulidjanov, 1970. (5:00, 8:40)

February 17 Ivan the Terrible, Part I. Sergei Eisenstein, 1943. (5:05, 8:40)
Ivan the Terrible, Part II. Sergei Eisenstein, 1946. (7:00)

LIBRARY NEWS

STUDIES ON THE SLAVIC AND EAST EUROPEAN COLLECTION

Two additional articles should be added to the November Newsletter's list of recently published articles dealing with the Slavic and East European Collection. Copies may be consulted in the Collection Development Office, Room 346, Main Library.

- a) Edward Kasinec, "Our Attention and Favor," (on a manuscript rescript of Catherine II) in Bancroftiana, No. 79, November 1981, pp. 5-6.
- b) Lawrence Dinnean, "Whymper Views of Russian Alaska," <u>Bancroftiana</u>, No. 80, March 1982, pp. 4-5.

LIBRARIAN - FACULTY COOPERATIVE RESEARCH

As part of a program on Professional Education and Training for Research Librarianship, the Council on Library Resources is accepting grant applications for support of research projects undertaken jointly by teaching faculty and senior staff members of academic and research libraries. The objectives of the program are to encourage communication between educators and practitioners and to improve research on problems facing academic and research librarians.

The Council will provide 8-10 small grants, not to exceed \$43,000 each, meant to cover only the incremental costs of research and not salaries of principals. Applications must be jointly submitted by a faculty member of a library school of or another university department and a senior staff member of an academic or research library. If interested in the program, please contact Edward Kasinec in the Collection Development Office, 642-0956.

AFRICAN STUDIES EXHIBIT

An exhibit entitled African Studies in the US -- African Studies in the USSR was prepared by Phyllis Bischof and Edward Kasinec to accompany the first Soviet-American symposium on contemporary Sub-Saharan Africa. The meeting, held November 10-14 on the Berkeley campus in the Alumni House, was attended by a delegation of eight Soviet Africanists and twenty-two American scholars. Professor Anatoly A. Gromyko invited the participants to a similar conference in the Soviet Union in 1984.

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REMINDER: CENTER TRAVEL GRANTS

Funds are still available for the Center to award a limited number of travel grants to Slavic and East European area program faculty and graduate students. These grants will only be awarded in support of travel for the purpose of presenting a paper at a meeting of a recognized scholarly association or institution. The grants are for domestic travel only, and will not exceed \$400. Persons who are interested in applying should contact Dr. Elizabeth Shepard at the Center, 642-5245 (mornings).

FELLOWSHIPS, EMPLOYMENT, STUDY/TRAVEL

Additional information on these and other announcements is available in the Center office, 372 Stephens Hall.

Russian Language Seminar in Leningrad - Summer language study (May 28 - July 4, 1983) sponsored by the University of New Hampshire. Includes language classes from elementary to advanced levels, excursions in Leningrad, and side trips within the Soviet Union. Academic credit is available. Cost is \$2,650 and includes travel, accommodations, study, five theater performances, and visa fees.

IREX Summer Exchange of Russian Language Teachers - An eight-week program at Moscow State University, beginning in mid-June. Applicants must be U.S. citizens, be full-time teachers of Russian language in a North American high school or university, have two years' full-time teaching experience, and have a minimum of four years of college level Russian or equivalent. Application deadline is January 15, 1983.

Summer Program, School of Advanced International Studies, The Johns Hopkins University - Seven week program in international studies and language classes. Courses include: Soviet area studies, international economics and finance, international relations and Russian language. B.A. required. Applications due by May 1, 1983. Limited financial assistance available.

Summer Study in Poland - The Kosciuszko Foundation is sponsoring nine summer sessions in Poland at three sites during the summer of 1983. Programs are 3-6 weeks long and include tours of Poland as well as classroom and extracurricular activities. For most programs, no previous knowledge of the Polish language is required and college credit is available. Complete costs, including tuition, full room and board, travel in Poland, and round-trip airfare are approximately \$1,500. Application deadline is February 15, 1983.

National Resource Fellowships at Indiana University, Bloomington - Graduate fellowships for modern language and area studies are expected to be available during the 1983-84 academic year. The University offers programs of study in Slavic and non-Slavic languages of Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union and its Russian and East European Institute administers an interdepartmental language and area studies program leading to an area certificate. Application deadline is February 14, 1983.

Position with CIEE's Cooperative Russian Language Program - Applications are being accepted for leadership positions in the summer and academic year residential programs in the Soviet Union. Qualifications include fluency in Russian, knowledge of the Soviet university system, and previous group leadership in the USSR. Prior residence in the Soviet Union and administrative experience preferable.

Soviet Interview Project - The National Council for Soviet and East European Research is sponsoring a Soviet Interview Project to be conducted at the beginning of January 1983 and to continue for six months. Staff members must be located in or near a major U.S. metropolitan center and must be bilingual in English and Russian. Interviewers who can devote 30-40 hours per week will be given preference. A minimum of 20 hours/week is required. Payment will be \$6/hour for all authorized time.

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CENTER FOR SLAVIC AND EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sat., Jan. 8 Slavic House 7:30 p.m. OPEN HOUSE: SLAVIC HOUSE, 2347 Prospect Street, will hold an open house - potluck to celebrate Russian Christmas.

Mon., Jan. 10 229 Dwinelle 4:00 p.m.

LECTURE: ALEKSANDER ZHOLKOVSKY, Department of Russian Literature, Cornell University, will lecture on "Poetry and Grammar in Pasternak's 'The Wind'." Co-sponsored with the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures.

Tues., Jan. 11 STANFORD 4:15 p.m. LECTURE: DR. JACK E. KOLLMAN, JR., formerly Kathryn W. Davis Visiting Professor of Slavic Studies (Art and Architecture), Wellesley College, will present a lecture (slide illustrated) on "Medieval Moscow Encounters the Renaissance: Italian Architects in the Kremlin, 15th - 16th Centuries." Room 4, Cummings Art Building.

Wed., Jan. 12 442 Stephens Noon BAG LUNCH: REGINALD E. ZELNIK, Visiting Professor of Cuisine Arts (also of the History Department), will discuss his research on "The Role of Borsch in Russian History." (Please bring your own soup spoons.)

Sat., Jan. 15 San Francisco 1:00 p.m. TOUR: EDWARD KASINEC, Librarian for Slavic Collections, will lead a half-day tour of "Russian San Francisco," sponsored by Slavic House. Details of the itinerary, travel arrangements, and a sign-up sheet are posted outside the Slavic Department, 5416 Dwinelle, and outside the Center office, 372 Stephens.

Mon., Jan. 17 STANFORD 4:15 p.m. SEMINAR: PETER GORECKI, J.D. Candidate, Stanford Law School, M.A., Department of History, Stanford, will speak to the Stanford Seminar on Russian History on "Assemblies and the Politics of the Legal Process in Early Medieval Poland." Room 230, History Corner.

Jan. 17 - early March STANFORD EXHIBIT: "Photographs of Old Russia" by DR. JACK KOLLMAN will be on exhibit at the Stanford Faculty Club.

Fri., Jan. 21 442 Stephens Noon BAG LUNCH: PREDRAG MATVEJEVIĆ, Yugoslav literary theoretician and critic, and Professor of French Literature, University of Zagreb, will speak on "The Struggle Against Stalinism in European Culture: The Case of Miroslav Krleža." Co-sponsored by the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures.

Sat., Jan. 22 Slavic House 2 - 5:00 p.m. BOOK SALE: SLAVIC HOUSE will hold a benefit sale of books of Slavic interest. Anyone wishing to donate books to the sale should contact Andrew Wachtel at the Slavic Department (642-2979) by Jan. 10.

Mon., Jan. 31 229 Dwinelle 4:00 p.m. COLLOQUIUM: JOHANNA NICHOLS, Associate Professor, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, will address a Slavic Department colloquium on "Structural Components of North Caucasian Poetic Genres."

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